1. (currently amended): A polyorganosiloxane having the following formula (I)

in which the structural units may be distributed over the polysiloxane chain in any order, in which each R₁ is independently from each other -OH; -OC₁-C₈alkyl or -CH₃,

R₂ is a linear or branched C₁-C₁₆alkylene,

R₃ and R₄ are independently from each other linear C₁-C₈alkyl; branched or cyclic C₃-C₈alkyl;

R₅ and R₈ are independently from each other linear or branched C₁-C₁₆alkylene,

 R_6 and R_7 are independently from each other H; linear C_1 - C_8 alkyl; branched or cyclic C_3 - C_8 alkyl, R_9 is a linear or branched C_1 - C_{16} alkylene,

 R_{10} and R_{12} are independently from each other H; linear C_1 - C_8 alkyl; branched or cyclic C_3 - C_8 alkyl, R_{11} is a linear or branched C_1 - C_{16} alkylene,

n is 1, 2 or 3,

p is 0, 1 or 2,

the sum of k, m and q is 25 to 900,

whereby the concentration of nitrogen in the polyorganosiloxane is $\rightarrow 0.8 \ge 1.5$ wt-%, based on the total weight of the polyorganosiloxane.

2. (previously presented): A polyorganosiloxane according to claim 1, wherein

 R_2 is a linear or branched C_1 - C_{12} alkylene;

R₃ and R₄ are independently from each other linear or branched C₁-C₆alkyl or cyclic C₄-C₈ alkyl;

R₅ and R₈ are independently from each other linear or branched C₁-C₁₂alkylene;

 R_6 and R_7 are independently from each other H; linear or branched C_1 - C_6 alkyl or cyclic C_4 - C_8 alkyl; R_9 is a linear or branched C_1 - C_{12} alkylene;

 R_{10} and R_{12} are independently from each other H; linear or branched C_1 - C_6 alkyl or cyclic C_4 - C_8 alkyl; and

R₁₁ is a linear or branched C₁-C₁₂alkylene.

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- 3. (previously presented): A polyorganosiloxane according to claim 1, wherein the concentration of nitrogen is ≥ 1 wt-%, based on the total weight of the polyorganosiloxane.
- 4. (cancelled).
- **5.** (previously presented): A polyorganosiloxane according to claim 1, wherein the concentration of nitrogen is ≥ 1.5 wt-% and < 8 wt-%, based on the total weight of the polyorganosiloxane.
- **6.** (previously presented): A polyorganosiloxane according to claim 1, wherein the concentration of nitrogen is \geq 1.5 wt-% and < 5 wt-%, based on the total weight of the polyorganosiloxane.
- 7. (previously presented): A polyorganosiloxane according to claim 1, wherein the sum of k, m and q is 25 to 700.
- **8.** (previously presented): A composition comprising at least one polyorganosiloxane as defined in claim 1 and an adjuvant or diluent.
- **9.** (previously presented): A composition according to claim 8, comprising from 2 wt-% to 60 wt-%, based on the total weight of the composition of the polyorganosiloxane.
- **10.** (previously presented): A composition according to claim 8, comprising at least one fabric softener.
- 11. (previously presented): A composition according to claim 10, comprising about 0.1 to about 95 wt-%, based on the total weight of the composition, of the fabric softening component.
- **12.** (previously presented): A composition according to claim 8, comprising 0 to 30 wt-%, based on the total weight of the composition, of at least one additive which is customary for standard commercial fabric softening compositions.
- **13.** (previously presented): A composition according to claim 8, comprising 25 to 90 wt-%, based on the total weight of the composition, of water.

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- **14.** (previously presented): A composition according to claim 13, wherein the pH-value is from 2.0 to 9.0.
- 15. (cancelled).
- **16.** (previously presented): A method for the treatment of textile material, which comprises contacting said material with a composition according to claim 8.
- 17. (previously presented): A method according to claim 16, wherein the composition comprises at least one fabric softener.
- **18.** (previously presented): A method according to claim 17, wherein the composition additionally comprises at least one additive which is customary for standard commercial fabric softening compositions.

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